repealed and added.

Effective Date December 2, 1981]

## CHARTER AMENDMENT RESOLUTION NO. 1981-2

## ORDINANCE NO. 2591

A RESOLUTION AND ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF TAKOMA PARK AMENDING SECTION 1.3(b) OF THE CITY CHARTER TO ESTABLISH NEW WARD BOUNDARIES

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Mayor and Council to equalize the population of the City among the seven wards for election purposes; AND

WHEREAS, to achieve this end, it is necessary to redefine the ward boundaries to reflect the necessary changes.

[Section 1.3(b) of the Charter of Takoma Park, Montgomery and Prince George's Counties, repealed and added.

Effective Date December 22, 1981]

## CHARTER AMENDMENT RESOLUTION NO. 1981-3

## ORDINANCE NO. 2594

A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK TO DELETE THE NOMINATION OF COUNCIL CANDIDATES BY ANY VOTER OF THE CITY AND TO SUBSTITUTE THE REQUIREMENT THAT SUCH NOMINATIONS MAY ONLY BE MADE BY VOTERS OF THE WARD FOR WHICH THE COUNCILMEMBER IS NOMINATED

WHEREAS, the City Charter was amended through passage of a citizen-initiated petition at the March 25, 1980 City election to delete at-large voting for Councilmembers and to institute ward-only elections of Councilmembers; AND

WHEREAS, Section 1.3(m) of the City Charter is at variance with the spirit of ward elections for Councilmembers in that it permits the nomination of Council candidates by any voter of the City; AND

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Mayor and Council to amend Section 1.3(m) of the City Charter to provide that nominations for Council candidates may be made only by voters of the ward for which the Councilmember is nominated.